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TO : Chief, Industrial Division

DATE: 1 November 1956

FROM : Chief, Consumer Industries Branch

SUBJECT: Monthly Report for October 1956.

1. Accomplishments.Projects Submitted

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[REDACTED] contribution on retail trade to NIS 26, Section 65 Trade and Finance (Project 40.1072) was submitted on 15 October; deadline for the project was 1 November.

Project 30.830 has cleared [REDACTED] shop and has been sent to reproduction.

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The Satellites section has been working overtime on Project 10.1641, Economic Stability in Eastern Europe. Sections on Poland, Hungary and Czechoslovakia have been completed.

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[REDACTED] has nearly completed I/CI's contribution to Project 10.1531, The Validity of Chinese Communist Statistics and Announcements.

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[REDACTED] is serving as D/I coordinator for NIS 41A on North Korea (Project 10.1053).

2. Training.

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[REDACTED] began the intermediate Russian reading course. [REDACTED] began the statistical course.

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3. Trips.

Chief, I/CI is accompanying Chief, D/I on a recruiting trip. He is expected to return 5 November.

4. Administration.

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5. Plans.

Negative.

6. Problems.

Negative.

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